



**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES  
JOB OPPORTUNITY  
FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR  
(CENTRAL OFFICE - MENTAL HEALTH DIVISION)**

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**Open To:** **The Public**

**Location:** Hartford, CT

**Job Posting No:** MB77642CO

**Hours:** 40

**Salary:** \$95,728 - \$122,791 (Annually)

**Closing Date:** August 30, 2012

The Department of Children and Families is recruiting for a Full Time Family and Community Services Director position within the Mental Health Division in Central Office.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:** Considerable knowledge of and ability to apply management principles and techniques; considerable knowledge of relevant State and Federal laws, statutes and regulations; considerable knowledge of principles, organization, function and administration of child welfare, community mental health programs, community and regional family and community services development; considerable knowledge of philosophy of community planning and support services that address: family adverse experiences, including trauma; health and mental promotion and treatment; and models for building family strengths through protective factors; considerable knowledge of principles and practices of diagnosis, care and treatment of children and youth with serious emotional disturbance, mental health or behavioral challenges; knowledge of and ability to apply implementation science; knowledge of community child welfare and mental health practices in other states; considerable interpersonal skills; considerable oral and written communication skills.

**General Experience:** A doctoral level degree in social work, psychology, education, mental health or a closely related field and seven (7) years managerial/administrative experience responsible for state or area wide planning of family and community service agencies or other child welfare and/or mental health services that emphasize family-engagement, family assessment and family support.

**NOTE:** Managerial experience is defined as formulating program goals and objectives, developing and implementing procedures, initiating program policies, personnel management including training of employees.

**Note:** The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

**Application Instructions:** Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a CT-HR-12 (State Application), resume, letter of intent and three (3) letters of professional references from current and/or previous supervisors. State employees must submit two most recent performance appraisals in lieu of references to:

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES  
505 HUDSON STREET  
HUMAN RESOURCES, 8<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR  
HARTFORD, CT 06106  
Attention: Bernice Morgan  
FAX: (860) 707-1952**

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